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Adopt-A-Park citywide cleanup event

Fairfield, California (Tuesday, March 8, 2016)—On Saturday, April 9, 2016, the City of Fairfield Adopt-A-Park program will hold a citywide park cleanup day. Current Adopt-A-Park program participants are encouraged to gather with their clubs and organizations to engage in a park cleanup and photo contest. Photos of participants will be shared at a May City Council meeting in recognition of current park adoptees' efforts to beautify Fairfield's public parks, and build a friendly presence in the community.

The Adopt-A-Park program encourages community organizations, school clubs, corporations, and neighborhoods to take an active role in improving Fairfield's park system. Park adoptees are volunteers who engage with the community by bettering their local parks through regular cleanup days, weeding, general maintenance, and reporting vandalism or suspicious activity to appropriate City officials. The City erects a sign in the adopted park bearing the name of the adopting group or individual.

There are currently parks available for adoption, including Dover Neighborhood Park and Meadow Neighborhood Park, as well as two small tot lots on Utah Street and West Kentucky Street. For more information, please contact Karen Rees, volunteer program coordinator, at (707) 428-7767.